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Applicant:	Zheng Haihong	Examiner:	Not Assigned
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With regard to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner.

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2), a copy of each document or other information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 is provided.

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Consideration of the items listed is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. 609, it is requested that the Examiner return a copy of the attached Form 1449, marked

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Berger et al., "Generalized MPLS Signaling – RSVP-TE Extensions", *Network Working Group Internet Draft*, April 2002, pp. 1 – 38.



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- ☒ Transmittal Sheet in duplicate containing Certificate of Mailing
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